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REMOTE OPERATION WIRE LINE

CORE SAMPLING DEVICE

Mail Stop AMENDMENT

SUBMISSION OF REPLACEMENT FORMAL DRAWINGS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please find submitted herewith replacement formal drawings (2 sheets, A4P) for Figs. 6 and 7, which have been amended so as to designate these figures as -- Prior Art--.

Respectfully submitted,

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